



2002 APPLICATION ENERGY STAR® *for Congregations* Awards

ENERGY STAR for congregations is a free service of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) that helps congregations cut costs through energy efficiency. If you practice exemplary energy efficiency, you are eligible for an ENERGY STAR for Congregations Award. Please complete and fax this application to (301) 977-8474.

AWARD CRITERIA

- ★ You may nominate your own congregation or any other congregation.
- ★ The organization/congregation must be a facility of 100,000 square feet or less.
- ★ The nominated congregation should be practicing exemplary energy efficiency that translates into real dollar savings.
- ★ Nominees who have shown creative and innovative solutions are highly encouraged to enter.

DEADLINE for applications is Earth Day, April 22, 2002.

QUESTIONS? Call 1-888-STAR YES, or Visit www.epa.gov/congregations.

Please print clearly in blue or black ink.

Name	Title	
Congregation Name		
Street Address		
City	State	ZIP
Phone	Fax	
E-mail	Web site	
Square Footage	<input type="checkbox"/> Own	<input type="checkbox"/> Rent
Number of Employees		
How did you hear about the ENERGY STAR for Congregations Awards?		

Please answer the following questions. Feel free to use additional pages, if necessary.

How have you reduced your costs through energy efficiency? You may include changes you made, why you decided to make changes, how long they took, and how the changes were financed.

How has your congregation benefited from the upgrades? For example, has your congregation experienced cost savings, increased comfort, or local media coverage?

Please tell us about any obstacles or successes you may have had along the way.

Any lessons learned? What recommendations would you make to other congregations?

Here's your chance to show us what you've done.

Filling out the information below is not required to be considered for the award but will help us distinguish you from similar applications.

Stage One: Lighting

- ☐ Compact Fluorescent Lamps
- ☐ T-8 Fluorescent/Electric Ballasts
- ☐ High-Pressure Sodium or Metal Halide Lighting
- ☐ Occupancy Sensors
- ☐ Other Controls
- ☐ LED Exit Signs
- ☐ Other

Stage Two: Building Tune-Up

- ☐ Set Up Scheduled Maintenance
- ☐ Heating/Cooling System Tune-Up
- ☐ New Controls or Energy Management Systems
- ☐ Hot Water Tank and Pipe Insulation
- ☐ Reduce Hot Water Settings
- ☐ Solar Hot Water
- ☐ Other

Stage Three: Load Reduction

- ☐ Improved Insulation
- ☐ Leakage Reduction
- ☐ New Windows
- ☐ Window Film/Solar Screens
- ☐ Planted Trees/Vines for Shade
- ☐ Other

Stage Four: Heating and Cooling Distribution System

- ☐ High-Efficiency Fan and Pump Motors
- ☐ Variable-Speed Drives
- ☐ Other

Stage Five: Heating and Cooling Plant

- ☐ New, High-Efficiency Air Conditioning System
- ☐ New, High-Efficiency Heating System
- ☐ Solar Heating
- ☐ Other

Annual Savings

Total \$ (all bills) _____ ☐ actual ☐ estimated
Electric Savings _____ ☐ kWh ☐ dollars
Gas Savings _____ ☐ therms ☐ dollars
Oil Savings _____ ☐ gallons ☐ dollars
Water Savings _____ ☐ gallons ☐ dollars

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Due to increased security with incoming mail, we strongly suggest you submit your application via fax or the web.